

LOCAL ITEMS.

Commodore Clitz has been relieved at his own request, and is succeeded by Commodore Hughes.

The steamer Pilot Boy is making Sunday excursions between Savannah and Tybee.

A man named Robert Butler said to be a native of Beaufort was drowned in Georgetown last week.

The unsightly holes along the sea wall have been filled up, a layer of soil spread on the top, and we shall soon see these places covered with a carpet of grass.

A colored man named Adam Small was killed on the Savannah and Charleston Railroad last Thursday while attempting to get on the train while in motion.

Mr. J. M. Crofut, deputy collector of internal revenue, went up country last week and while in Blackville captured a wagon, two mules, and fourteen boxes of crooked tobacco.

The Harvey Mills case still drags along the past week being devoted to argument by the attorneys in the case. It is expected Judge Bryan will render his decision in the course of a few days and the claimants are hopeful of a large award.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Boston Transcript in another column. Its standard of excellence in editorials and in literary, musical, and general news is of the highest kind, and we recommend it to those who wish to subscribe to a first class New England paper.

The sawmill of Mr. Geo. B. Hack, at Varnsville, was destroyed by incendiary fire on the 23d. Mr. Hack's freeman went to the mill for the purpose of firing up the engine, and, thinking it too early, he returned to his house, and after waiting about an hour, he again went to the mill to fire up, when he discovered the whole building enveloped in flames.

The Town Hall enterprise seems to hang fire. No one, so far as we can learn, has offered any opposition to the improvement and it has been demonstrated that the building would rent for more than enough to pay the interest on the cost, besides being an ornament to the town, and meet the wants of a suitable hall for public purposes. We hope it will not be allowed to be overlooked. The town council was expected to hold a meeting on the subject to hear the opinions of our citizens but nothing has yet been done.

Last Thursday morning an unknown man was overtaken on the Savannah and Charleston Railroad track, three miles north of Grahamville, by four negro tramps from Savannah, who attacked him, cutting and clubbing him horribly. After robbing him of his money, watch, and valise, they threw him into a trench fifteen feet deep, and, believing him dead, proceeded in the direction of Charleston. Their victim recovered sufficiently to drag himself a short distance and report the assault and was taken to Charleston.

We are informed that on the evening of April 5th the ladies of the Beaufort Baptist congregation propose giving a strawberry festival; and as the proceeds are to be devoted to the purchase of a new organ we hope that the utmost liberality will be manifested by our people. The entertainment will take place at the residence of Mr. Wm. H. Lockwood who has kindly placed his parlors at the disposal of the ladies. We hope that all will help the good cause.

Mr. Wm. Kressel has a supply of a patent burner for kerosene lamps called the MONITOR which needs only to be seen to be appreciated, and as it costs no more than other burners should find a large sale. The advantage of the monitor is that it has a cap that fits over the opening for the wick and in case the lamp is upset the cap at once extinguishes the flame.

"Ladies! Those linen suits have arrived, at Apple's. Stop in and examine them."

The Marseilles Quilts, at Apple's, are the nicest ever brought to Beaufort.

"Gentlemen! Hats in the latest spring styles at Apple's, see for yourselves."

Our shirts can not be surpassed. We have the finest line of shirts this side of the Potomac. At Apple's Matting a specialty. White, Red and Fancy checks.

Francis D. Bell, Photographer, will remain in Beaufort but a few days longer and those who have failed to secure their pictures had better attend to it at once if they wish to be attended by the artist now in charge.

Amber pictures 4 for one dollar Hand-some framed pictures \$1.50.

A frost in Rock Hill last week injured the peach crop.

The Aiken hotels are crowded with tourists who seem to come later than usual this year.

Mr. Raymond of Greenville has discovered and patented a plan for melting mica and brass.

Orangeburg claims to have an honest lawyer and thinks he should succeed Chief Justice Moses.

Mr. T. K. Saspostas, a trial justice in Orangeburg, refuses to close his office on account of Judge Reed's decision.

Mr. Wallace, the Evangelist who was in Beaufort a few days ago has been singing to the people of Aiken.

Four prisoners in the Aiken jail broke out last week. Two were recaptured.

The farmers in Abbeville are suffering for advances, and are willing to pay twenty-five to fifty per cent interest for credit.

In a recent election in Abbeville the Independent candidate beat the regular Democratic candidate by a vote of two to one.

Steve Anderson, the Aiken murderer who was reprieved at the last minute, is now engaged in wrestling with the ghost of one of the men executed.

A little child of Mr. Richard Seruggs, in Spartanburg, was left alone in the house one day last week and when found was burned to death.

A fire broke out in Greenville last Saturday destroying property worth \$45,000. Insurance \$15,000. Another fire the same day destroyed the residence of Mrs. Mauldin.

Paro Garrett, a burglar was instantly killed last Friday in Charleston by the discharge of a spring gun while attempting to enter a window of a store.

Ten prisoners confined in the Charleston jail awaiting trial have been discharged by order of Judge Reed to save the expense to the county of feeding them until a session of Court can be held.

The construction train is running five or six miles on the Spartanburg and Ashville Railroad track, and the work of laying the track is being pushed forward.

Judge Carpenter adjourned court in Edgefield last week on account of the multitude of juries and clerks. A compromise was made that a jury should be selected and a clerk recognized and the lawyers might have civil cases tried provided both sides would agree not to question the legality of the clerk and jury.

The grand jury of Greenville County have presented A. L. Cobb, John P. Seruggs and Wilson Cook as exercising the duties of County Treasurer, County Auditor and Jury Commissioner, respectively in violation of law, the said parties having been removed by Governor Hampton.

Grant is the only ex-president of the United States living.

There are 55,000 men residing in New York, who are to-day out of employment.

The United States Court in Baltimore has declared the Civil Rights bill unconstitutional.

Five hundred and forty-five revenue prisoners have been released from custody at the United States District Court in Atlanta.

Florida strawberries are selling in New York city for five dollars a quart, and one dollar per plate.

The book keeper of the Brooklyn Bank was arrested last Friday for robbing the bank of \$100,000. All the money was recovered, the man being doubtless insane.

Minister Washburne has resigned the French mission, and the President has accepted his resignation, with the request that he will remain at Paris until his successor arrives there.

The shipment of beef to England has become so extensive that there is talk of chartering the Great Eastern to transport cattle to that country from the United States.

Persons on the outlook for straws regard the arrival of Mrs. Chamberlain with half a dozen trunks, in Washington from South Carolina as significant.

Mr. Packard is too forward. He is looting up as a fonder of strife when he ought to be cautious and keep shady. Mr. Packard wants to retire within himself—to telescope, as it were—so that there will be less of him to get hit when the blow comes.

Some difficulty is experienced in com promising the debts of several Southern States, the principal trouble being that the States are too poor and the debts are too large.

The Savannah News says there is not a case of small pox in that city at present. 1400 people have been vaccinated so far.

The Palatka Herald says there were five hundred arrivals at the Hotels of that place last week, exclusive of boarding-houses and that there are more visitors than ever before.

Mrs. Hayes is a sensible woman. Having been waited upon by a delegation of her own sex concerning the use of wine at State dinners, she replied that it would be impertinent in her to regulate matters controlled by her husband.

The Good Templars of Boston have refused to allow their colored brothers membership in the order, and a new grand lodge will be established by the dissatisfied and excluded members.

The population of Augusta, has increased nearly fifteen thousand in the past six years, and an impulse has recently been given to manufacturing that will materially aid the increase of wealth and population.

The mystery of the Northampton Bank robbery has been solved. Bank-Lock Expert Edson, of New York, who has been employed by the Herring company, made wax impressions of three of the vault keys for the burglars.

Boss Tweed is to be liberated very soon on condition that he gives up all his property to the City of New York. The amount expected to be realized is over a million dollars.

"Often, often," says Mrs. Van Cott, "even now the devil comes to me and tempts me to evil thoughts." Well, it's natural; she isn't to blame for it! When she stands on the platform in the blaze of the chandelier, and a scrawny sinner loyes up the center aisle, she can't help saying softly to herself, "If-I-looked-like that woman-I'd nad!"

The following description of President Hayes is from a graphic account of the inaugural ceremonies written by Mrs. Clemmer for the Independent: His pictures give but a faint shadow of the man; for his stature, his movement, his presence, indicate him even more than his face. All express the highest manliness. The light step, the erect head, the splendid figure, the clear, open countenance—all indicate purity, health and power. We have been told so often that he is "not a great man" that I expected to see rather a weak looking brother, and confess to positive surprise when I saw before me a man who made the man about him look rather poor and small, who, if there be anything in temperament, physique and head, has enough of each and all for himself, with considerable to spare to others. Having seen him, nobody now could ever make me believe that he has not a mind of his own, with will enough and sense enough to put it to the best uses. And the whimpering Thomases of the party, who have expected him to be putty in the fingers of his Republican makers, may hang up their fears. Already they are chewing the ends of their fingers in disgust, for where they felt for the putty it was not there, and, with all their manipulations, they cannot keep Carl Schurz out of the cabinet.

A few weeks ago the children attending a school kept by a priest at Capua, Italy were left to themselves a few minutes, and one of them allowed a favorite canary of the master's to escape from its cage. When the latter returned he demanded the name of the culprit, and, on dismissing the other children to their dinner, desired him to stay behind, and go down on his knees as a further punishment. The other children, as they passed the butcher's shop of their schoolfellow's father explained why he wouldn't be home to dinner, and presently his mother went to intercede for him. When she made her way into the room she found the poor fellow lying dead, crucified on a table, his feet being cut off because the table was not long enough. When her husband came, he discovered the priest in an adjoining room, and plunged a poignard into his heart killing him at once.

A gentleman happened to be passing a door in a certain street in London before which stood a hack cab. As he passed, an invalid, bearing on his face the eruption of small-pox, came out and entered the cab. The observer followed the vehicle as rapidly as he could and was just in time to see it deposit its fare at a small-pox hospital. Then he saw the driver hailed by a lady and gentleman, whom he vainly endeavored to warn by his shouts. They took no notice, got in and drove off. The observer still followed, and was just in time to see the pair descend at the door of a house in one of the best squares in London. Some time after, he was again in London, and informant thought he would call at the house. He found the blinds of the house down. The master had died on the previous day of small pox, and his wife was not expected to recover from the same malady.

THE LANDLESS PEOPLE WHO are coming into this County to reside will do well to call upon the subscriber at his office in the TRIBUNE building, where they can find lists of LOTS OF LAND which are located on all the islands, and on the main land of Beaufort County, in tracts of from one acre to four hundred with improvements on many of the parcels, and altogether desirable for those having small means, as they can have immediate possession by paying a very small sum of money, and be able to make a crop the present season.

ONE CHOICE TRACT OF 40 ACRES mostly under cultivation on Port Royal Island at a bargain. ONE 20 ACRE TRACT NEAR WHITE Church on St. Helena—best land on the island. Call and see me soon. H. G. JUDD. Bt. S. C. Jan 17th 1876.

Sheriff's Sales. SHERIFF'S SALE. Louisa F. Butler, vs. Sallie Walker. By virtue of an order of Hon. A. B. Addison, Probate Judge, to me directed and lodged in my office, I will sell at public outcry in front of my office, in the town of Beaufort, on the first Tuesday in April next, 1877, being the third day of said month, the following real estate to wit: A plantation called "Mont Repos," situate lying and being in St. Luke's Parish, in the County of Beaufort and State of South Carolina, containing one thousand acres more or less, and bounded south by the public road leading from Gillisville to Cor sawhatchin, east by public road to Grahamville north by Cotton Hill, belonging to the estate of Thomas Gillis, and west by lands of Brandt and others. Terms cash. WM. WILSON, S. C. Bt. S. C. Mar. 13 1877.

OFFICIAL. UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE. DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE. 7th District S. C. March 29th 1877. NOTICE is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that the following described property has been seized for a violation of the U. S. Internal Revenue laws, and a bond for the cost of an action in the U. S. Court must be filed with the Collector of the District within thirty days from the date hereof, or the same will be forfeited to the U. S. and sold, as provided in Section 3160 Revised Statutes, viz: Six Boxes unstamped Tobacco, 549 pounds more or less seized as the property of John T. Smith, alias John Clay. JAMES M. CROFUT, Dep. Col. By order of L. CASS CARPENTER, Collector District of South Carolina.

THE MONITOR BURNER. The latest and best improvement in burners for kerosene lamps is the MONITOR BURNER, which by its own action, prevents explosions and accidents in case the lamp should upset or be broken. The burner will fit the ordinary lamp and costs no more than other burners. Call and see it. For sale by Wm. KRESSSEL.

\$10.00 Reward. THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR information to convict the thief who stole the halliards from the dog pole at the toll gate on the night of the 29th instant. W. KRESSSEL, Supt.

FOUND ADRIFT. Picked up the 14th inst., by Robert Fields, between Cat and Cane Islands, a SHIP YAWL, full of water, measuring 17 feet long and 5 feet wide. The owner can recover the boat by proving property and paying charges by applying to F. W. SCHEPER. mar20 Beaufort, S. C.

MANSION HOUSE. PORT ROYAL, S. C. Is beautifully situated, facing PORT ROYAL HARBOR. Enclosed with ample yard under live oak trees the rooms are neatly finished and nicely furnished and the table is well supplied and kept. Guests from the North will find this a most healthful and pleasant winter resort. United States vessels are located in sight, and fishing, hunting, and boating can be enjoyed. Contracts for board will be made for the season at reasonable rates. BENJAMIN BURE, PROPRIETOR.

LOST. On Tuesday last a Diary containing papers of value and some money. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the lost articles at this office. March 22.

For Sale or Rent. FOR SALE. Very Desirable Property, ON BAY ST. BEAUFORT, S. C. The house occupied by Odell and comprising three fine stores with spacious yards and storage in the rear and the finest water frontage on the river. For terms apply to D. C. WILSON, or to C. H. WRIGHT, Agt. Beaufort, S. C. March 20, 1877. TO RENT. The dwelling on Bay St., lately occupied by Capt. C. O. Boutelle. Apply to Wm. ELLIOTT.

TO RENT. Two desirable stores in the basement of the STEVENS HOUSE, Price \$10 and \$15 respectively. Apply to W. J. VERDIER, Agent. TO RENT. TWO PLANTATIONS ON ST. HELENA ISLAND, known as the "Dr. Jenkins Place" & "Santford." On the Jenkins place are an elegant dwelling all necessary out buildings, Steam, Cotton and Grist Mill etc. Also, Cat Island. Apply to Wm. ELLIOTT. Jan. 4-11.

For Sale. ONE SIX-HORSE PORTABLE HOARD & SON Steam Engine with shafting, for cash, or will barter for one or two FIRST-CLASS MULES, with cash adjustment either way in accordance with appraised values. C. G. KENDALL, Port Royal.

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PORT ROYAL Saw & Planing Mill BEAUFORT, S. C. D. C. WILSON & CO., MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN YELLOW PINE TIMBER AND LUMBER AND Cypress Shingles, ALSO Builders & Contractors PLASTER LATHES, All kinds of JOB SAWING promptly done. Flooring & Ceiling Boards always on hand. Orders for Lumber and Timber by the promptly filled. Terms Cash. D. C. WILSON & CO.

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